- c. Sample selection will be accomplished by or in the presence of a Government Quality Assurance Representative. The sample shall represent the lot(s) undergoing test.
- (1) The following table shall be used when determining the number of representative samples that must be selected:

Propellant Type	# Drums per lot	Sample Size
M2, M9 Flake, Spheroidal Ball, 60, 81 & 120mm Mortar, Artillery	1 to 5 6 to 14 15 to 29 30 plus	1 pound 2 pounds* 3 pounds* 5 pounds*
Stick	# Boxes per lot	May be cut to appropriate length per QAR to accommodate shipping container
	1 to 5 6 to 14 15 to 29 30 plus	1 pound 2 pounds* 3 pounds* 5 pounds*
Propelling Charges	Standard units of issue to closely approximate ½ pound of charge weight per lot	½ pound

^{*}The number of pounds indicates the different number of drums/containers that shall be sampled.